

A word from Germany

Julia sends greetings to us all. The photo we gave her (of all the congregation, taken on her farewell Sunday) has pride of place on her desk. She is looking forward to University—Scottish country dancing every week—and is currently looking for a flat.

Other news

On **Saturday 13 September** why not join **Ride, Drive or Stride** to visit some of the county's great wealth of historic places of worship. Sponsorship money raised by members of the congregation will be shared between St Andrew's and Cambridgeshire Historic Churches Fund. As it is taking place on one of the Heritage Open Days, there will be opportunities to combine with seeing other buildings not normally open to the public. Forms and further information at back of church or www.cambshistoricchurchestrust.co.uk/s-cr.htm

On **Thursday 11 September** the Cambridge House of Prayer will be hosting a worship and prayer evening with 15 Korean Christians, part of a big visit of Korean Christians who are coming to the UK to pray for our nation, stirred by a deep sense of gratitude to the UK Church for sending missionaries to Korea. 7.30-9.30pm at the Round Church, Bridge Street, Cambridge, CB2 1UB. For more information please contact Andrew Taylor at andrew.taylor7@cantab.net or visit www.cam-hop.org

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ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

A thriving, open and welcoming church community for all ages

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Today, 12th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am All-age Communion
6.30pm Evensong

During the week

Monday

9.30am Morning Prayer
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)
followed by Scrabble

Tuesday-Friday, 12-2pm

food4food community café

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9.30am Morning Prayer
12.15pm Holy Communion
followed by lunch in the food4food café

Wednesday

8.15am Morning Prayer

Thursday

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9.00am- Church Mice for babies, toddlers

11.15am and carers (Hall)

8.00pm Housegroup, 17 Sherlock Road

Friday

9.30am Morning Prayer
5.00pm Evening Prayer & Vigil

Next Sunday, 13th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am Sung Eucharist
6.30pm Message in the Movies

*'Owe no one anything,
except to love one another;
for the one who loves
another has fulfilled the
law.'*

Romans 13.8

Please pray for:

- Among the sick, housebound or recovering: Alison Hughes, Betty and Gordon Borley, Betty Jennings, Pam Fry, Rosie Meikle
- Those stepping out on the Pilgrim course this month
- Our Junior Church and youth leaders
- Alex Hughes, our new Archdeacon (and his wife, Sarah, and young family)
- RIP Sarah Yates

Message in the Movies returns next Sunday at 6.15 for 6.30pm in the Hall. This term's film will be **Dead Poets Society**, featuring Robin Williams who died last month. We will watch the film, enjoy drinks and refreshments, have some informal discussion and finish with Night Prayer at about 9.10am for those able to stay (the film lasts 123 minutes, is PG, and will finish just after 8.30pm; young ones will be free to depart to bed at that point!).

Robin Williams was an Episcopalian (Anglican) who once listed "Top 10 Reasons to be an Episcopalian":

"10. No snake-handling. 9. You can believe in dinosaurs. 8. Male and female God created them; male and female we ordain them. 7. You don't have to check your brains at the door. 6. Pew aerobics. 5. Church year is color-coded. 4. Free wine on Sunday. 3. All of the pageantry - none of the guilt. 2. You don't have to know how to swim to get baptized. 1. No matter what you believe, there's bound to be at least one other Episcopalian who agrees with you."

Coming up... this month

The Friends of St Andrew's Coffee Morning and Harvest Market will be on **Saturday 27 September** from 10am-12noon in St Andrew's Hall. An opportunity for you to sell the surplus produce from your garden. If you would like to hire a stall, please speak to me or Patricia Abrey. Donations of cakes, preserves, plants, garden produce, and gifts for the tombola will be gratefully received.

John Reynolds

Our Harvest Festival service will be on **Sunday 28 September** at 10am (All-age Communion) and will be followed by a Harvest lunch in the Hall. New Voices will be singing Choral Evensong at 6.30pm.

Parish weekend

The places are filling up for our church weekend at Ditchingham from 3 to 5 October. The theme will be '*World Church: World Christians or World Consumers?*' If you haven't yet booked - now is the time! There are forms available at the back of the church to be sent to Linda Stollwerck Boulton, or handed to Ewa Allen, Deborah Bick or Tricia Troughton as soon as possible. There is a limited number of places still available. It will be a great time together in a beautiful place with wondrous company!

Tricia Troughton

Help needed

Pianists are needed for Langdon House, the residential care home in Union Lane, Chesterton, which holds an informal weekly service from 4-4.30pm every Sunday. At the moment, we are down to two pianists so the people taking the service have to use CDs on the weeks when the pianists aren't playing which isn't much fun. Are there pianists out there who can accompany hymns and would like to put that talent to good use once a month? It is much appreciated by the residents and the service leaders. If you would like to know more, please get in touch with Fiona

Readings for Daily Prayer

Monday	Acts 8.26-end
Tuesday	Acts 9.1-19a
Wednesday	Acts 9.19b-31
Thursday	Acts 9.32-end
Friday	Acts 10.1-16
Saturday	Acts 10.17-33

Next Sunday's readings:
am: Romans 14.1-12 Matthew 21-35

St Andrew's News & Notices

We hope you had a lovely holiday (if you've had one...). We'd love to see your holiday snaps! There are two for holiday photos—one a general one and the other taken before, during or after a church service that isn't St Andrew's (with members of the congregation). Send entries to vicar@standrews-chesterton.org.

Cynthia Bull would appreciate empty jars for marmalade, particularly Bon Marie and 340gm. Please phone her on 322467 to arrange collection or leave under the bench outside 10 Capstan Close.

Coming up... this week

Would any member wishing to come to the **Umbrella Group lunch** on Thursday please give order plus £5 deposit to Ursula Sainsbury.

Coming up... next Sunday

The new Archdeacon of Cambridge, Alex Hughes, will begin his new ministry with a collation service at Great St Mary's next Sunday at 3pm. Alex has spent the past six years as a vicar in inner city Portsmouth.

Naughton, one of the pianists, at fab.blackburn@gmail.com. Please let Margaret or Nick know if you can help.

Azul Wasi

The Sponsored Walk in July raised £700 (before Gift Aid). Thank you to the walkers and to all who have sponsored. If you would like to make a donation or become a regular monthly supporter (anything from £5 a month), please contact Mary Pountain (mary.pountain@gmail.com or tel 311055). Copies of the Summer Newsletter are available at the back of the church and more details are on the church website - www.standrews-chesterton.org/azulwasi/



Pilgrim is a major new teaching and discipleship resource from the Church of England. It aims to help every local church create a place where people can explore the Christian faith together and see how it can be lived out each day. St Andrew's will be continuing along the 'Pilgrim' route this autumn. There will be lunchtime and evening groups, going back to the beginning ('Turning to Christ') and moving on to stage 3 ('The Commandments'). If you'd like to join a group please sign the list at the back of church.